

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 20277
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Kousuke TANAKA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 3272
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Application No.: 10/525,093	:	Group Art Unit: 2874
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Filed: February 23, 2005	:	Examiner: Sarah U. Song
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For: RIBBON-LIKE OPTICAL FIBER CORE ASSEMBLY, METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, TAPE CORE ASSEMBLY-CONTAINING CONNECTOR, TAPE CORE ASSEMBLY-CONTAINING OPTICAL FIBER ARRAY, AND OPTICAL WIRING SYSTEM		

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated August 7, 2008, now due to expire November 7, 2008, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on December 7, 2008.

Please charge the extension fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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